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Inventor(s): Lance W. Russell

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Examiner: Lane, John A

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Group Art Unit: 2188

Title: SHARED MEMORY COUPLING OF NETWORK INFRASTRUCTURE DEVICES

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INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
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OTHER FEES						\$
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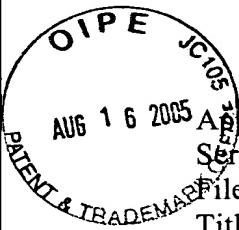
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AMENDMENT

In response to the Examiner's action dated May 9, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the specification** begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this Amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this Amendment.

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